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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

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OF

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING

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LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

HORATIO W. HATCH

Selectmen

GEORGE A. GORDON

ARCHIE C. MOSHER

WARREN M. DAVIS

Treasurer

HORATIO W. HATCH

Overseer of the Poor

JAMES F. PERKINS

Road Agent

GUY E. ELLIOTT

Sexton

LUCIAN D. TINKER

Supervisors of Check List

JAMES F. PERKINS

SIDNEY O. DAVIS

GEORGE A. COREY

Auditor

SIDNEY O. DAVIS

Ballot Inspectors

JOHN A. HOWE

CLARENCE B. HOWARD

LEON H. DAVIS

HENRY A. DODGE

Moderator

WARREN M. DAVIS

Trustees of Trust Funds

GEORGE F. GEE

GEORGE A. GORDON

WARREN M. DAVIS

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Marlow qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at Jones Hall in said town on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a town clerk for the three years ensuing.

Article 2. To choose a selectman for the year ensuing.

Article 3. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

Article 4. To raise or appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of the poor.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid for highways and to raise money for the same and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of state aid and trunk line roads.

Article 7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the repair of highways and bridges.

Article 8. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for town library.

Article 9. To raise or appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 10. To raise or appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the observance of Old Home Day.

Article 11. To see what action the town will take in regard to the control of the white pine blister rust, and to raise money for the same.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to lay out and build a new road from the trunk line road No. 10 to the house of Perley M. Miller and to raise money for the same.

Article 13. To see what action the town will take in regard to the acceptance of trust funds.

Article 14. To see what action the town will take in regard to purchasing equipment for snow removal from highways and to raise money for the same.

Article 15. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges and to apply on town debt.

Article 16. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money by temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.

Article 17. To bring in your votes for election of delegates at large, alternate delegates at large, district delegates, alternate district delegates to the national conventions of the Democratic and Republican parties, to be held for the purpose of nominating party candidates for president and vice-president of the United States.

Article 18. To see what action the town will take in regard to building a new fence to the cemetery and to raise money for the same.

Article 19. To hear the reports of officers, agents or committees heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Marlow this 25th day of February, A. D. 1928.

GEORGE A. GORDON,
ARCHIE C. MOSHER,
WARREN M. DAVIS.

Selectmen of Marlow.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GEORGE A. GORDON,
ARCHIE C. MOSHER,
WARREN M. DAVIS.

Selectmen of Marlow.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

VALUATION

Real estate,	\$263,970 00
87 horses,	5,668 00
6 oxen,	770 00
81 cows,	5,138 00
13 neat,	558 00
22 sheep,	184 00
305 fowls,	380 00
Portable mills,	1,000 00
Wood and lumber,	13,594 00
5 gasoline tanks,	750 00
Stock in trade,	15,300 00
Mills and machinery,	28,650 00

Total,	\$335,962 00
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Exemptions,	32,000 00
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Taxable valuation,	\$303,962 00
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Soldiers' exemptions,	\$4,150 00
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Rate of taxation, \$3.60 on \$100.00.

TAXES ASSESSED

Town tax,	\$3,000 00
School tax,	3,350 00
Highway tax,	1,800 00
Library tax,	30 00
State tax,	776 65

County tax,	462 73
Maintenance of trunk line roads,	1,670 00
Maintenance of state aid roads,	60 00
State aid construction,	511 00
Overlay in assessment,	210 25

\$11,870 63

National bank tax,	38 00
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\$11,832 63

Poll taxes, 195 at \$2.00,	390 00
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\$11,442 63

Estimated revenue,	
Savings bank tax,	\$150 00
Automobile permits,	350 00
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	500 00

Property tax,	\$10,942 63
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ABSTRACT RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927,	\$1,407 88
Cash received during year,	21,815 16
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	\$23,223 04

ABSTRACT EXPENDITURES

Paid out during year,	\$23,007 26
Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1928,	215 78
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	\$23,223 04

ASSETS

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1928,	\$215 78
Due from state, balance of joint fund for maintenance of trunk line roads,	1,951 59

Due from state, balance of joint fund for construction of state aid roads,	285 46
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Taxes not collected:

Levy of 1919, J. A. Ayer, Collector,	\$16 86
Levy of 1920, J. A. Ayer, Collector,	30 71
Levy of 1921, J. A. Ayer, Collector,	111 56
Levy of 1927, A. W. Phelps, Collector,	840 43

\$999 56

Due from state, bounties,	93 00
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Due from state, one half of expense of snow removal on trunk line roads,	158 00
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Taxes bought by town:

Frank H. Allen,	67 84
Due from patients, emergency hospital,	262 58

Total assets,	\$4,033 81
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LIABILITIES

Unpaid balances set aside for special purposes:

Due schools, dog licenses,	\$142 80
Balance of school money,	1,550 00

\$1,692 80

Balance of joint fund for maintenance of trunk line
roads:

In town treasury,	\$433 69
In state treasury,	1,951 59

\$2,385 28

Balance of joint fund for construction of state aid roads:

In town treasury,	\$106 29
In state treasury,	285 46

\$391 75

Notes outstanding:

Marian G. Perkins, note dated Feb. 15, 1912, \$500 00

Francina C. Towne, note dated Aug. 1, 1912,	1,000 00
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Francina C. Towne, note dated Jan. 15, 1913,	1,000 00
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Trustees of trust funds, note for school fund,	1,005 25
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Trustees of trust funds, note for legacy of Asa Way,	447 50
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\$3,952 75

Total liabilities,	\$8,422 58
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Excess of liabilities over assets,	\$4,388 77
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SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1. Jones Hall,	\$4,500 00
Fixtures and equipment,	300 00
2. Library and equipment,	1,000 00
3. Police department equipment,	10 00
4. Fire department apparatus,	675 00
5. Highway department equipment,	100 00

\$6,585 00

SUMMARY RECEIPTS

From local taxes:

Property and poll taxes committed to collector,	\$11,370 63
Less abatements,	22 64
Less uncollected,	840 43
1. Property taxes current year collected,	10,109 56
2. Poll taxes current year collected,	360 00
3. Property and poll taxes previous years collected,	1,067 21
4. National Bank stock taxes,	38 00
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Total of above collections,	\$11,574 77
Tax sales redeemed,	83 92
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	\$11,658 69

From state:

5. For highways:

(a) State aid maintenance,	\$83 48
(b) Trunk line maintenance,	2,850 00
(c) State aid construction,	198 51
(d) State aid for class five highways,	458 14
(e) State aid for snow removal,	229 50

\$3,819 63

6. Interest and dividend tax,	15 38
9. Savings bank tax,	166 66
12. Fighting forest fires,	166 49

\$4,168 16

14. From county,	99 00
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From local sources except taxes:

16. Dog licenses,	\$142 80
20. Interest received on taxes,	42 17

26. Permits for registration, of motor vehicles,	383 93	
	<hr/>	\$568 90

Receipts other than current revenue:

28. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$5,000 00	
33. Refund on state owned property,	20 41	
35. Trust funds,	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,320 41

Total receipts from all sources,	\$21,815 16	
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927,	1,407 88	
	<hr/>	\$23,223 04

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

General government:

1. Town officers' salaries,	\$555 00	
2. Town officers' expenses,	265 82	
3. Election and registration expenses,	57 00	
5. Expenses of Jones hall,	603 87	
	<hr/>	\$1,481 69

Protection of persons and property:

6. Police department including care of tramps,	\$76 85	
7. Fire department including forest fires,	351 08	
9. Bounties,	59 00	
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Health:		
11.	Health department,	\$15 40
12.	Vital statistics,	3 00
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		\$18 40
Highways and bridges:		
14.	State aid maintenance,	\$156 42
15.	Trunk line maintenance,	4,201 81
16.	Town maintenance,	3,997 83
17.	Street lighting,	330 00
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		\$8,686 06
Libraries:		
19.	Town library,	\$90 00
Charities:		
20.	Town poor,	\$156 00
21.	County poor,	99 00
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		\$255 00
Patriotic purposes:		
22.	Memorial Day observance,	\$20 00
Public service enterprises:		
27.	Cemeteries,	\$35 50
Unclassified:		
28.	Damages and legal expenses,	\$1,705 86
30.	Old Home Day observance,	27 72
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		\$1,733 58
Interest:		
33.	Paid on temporary loans,	\$141 88
34.	Paid on long term notes,	112 50
36.	Paid on principle of trust funds used by town,	50 84
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		\$305 22

Outlay for new construction and permanent improvement:

37. Highways, state aid construction,	\$629 10
Indebtedness:	
45. Payments on temporary loans,	\$5,000 00
49. Payments to trustees of trust funds,	300 00

Payments to other governmental divisions:

51. Taxes paid to state,	\$776 65	
52. Taxes paid to county,	462 73	
54. Payments to school district,	2,726 40	
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		\$3,965 78
Total payments for all purposes,		\$23,007 26
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1928,		215 78
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Grand total,		\$23,223 04

DETAIL STATEMENT RECEIPTS

From local taxes:

Detail 1. Property taxes current year,	
A. W. Phelps, collector,	\$10,109 56
Detail 2. Poll taxes current year,	360 00
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	\$10,469 56
Detail 3. Property and poll taxes previous years,	
A. W. Phelps, collector, 1926,	\$942 90
J. A. Ayer, collector, 1920,	65 15
J. A. Ayer, collector, 1921,	59 16
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	\$1,067 21
Detail 4. National bank stock tax,	\$38 00
Tax sales redeemed,	

W. H. Angleton tax, 1925,	83 92	
		<u>\$121 92</u>
		<u>\$11,658 69</u>
From state:		
Detail 5. For highways:		
(a) State aid maintenance,	\$83 48	
(b) Trunk line maintenance,	2,850 00	
(c) State aid construction,	198 51	
(d) State aid for class five highways,	458 14	
(e) State aid for snow removal,	229 50	
		<u>\$3,819 63</u>
Detail 6. Interest and dividend tax,		15 38
Detail 9. Savings bank tax,		166 66
Detail 12. Fighting forest fires,		166 49
		<u>\$4,168 16</u>
From county:		
Detail 14. James F. Perkins overseer,		
April term,	\$74 00	
October term,	25 00	
		<u>\$99 00</u>
From local sources except taxes:		
Detail 16. Dog licenses,	\$142 80	
Detail 20. Interest received on taxes,	42 17	
Detail 26. Permits for registration of motor vehicles,	383 93	
		<u>\$568 90</u>
Receipts other than current revenue:		
Detail 28. Temporary loans,		
Keene National Bank,	\$3,500 00	

Cheshire County Savings Bank, 1,500 00

\$5,000 00

Detail 33. Refund on state owned prop-
erty,

\$20 41

Detail 35. Trust funds,

Ellen Joslin fund, \$100 00

Daley-Pletzner fund, 100 00

Sylvia Richardson fund, 100 00

\$300 00

Total receipts during year, \$21,815 16

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927, 1,407 88

\$23,223 04

DETAILED STATEMENT, PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Town officers' salaries:

George A. Gordon, selectman, \$125 00

Archie C. Mosher, selectman, 100 00

Warren M. Davis, selectman, 100 00

Horatio W. Hatch, clerk, 40 00

Horatio W. Hatch, treasurer, 60 00

Albert W. Phelps, collector, 125 00

Sidney O. Davis, auditor, 5 00

\$555 00

Detail 2. Town officers' expenses:

G. A. Gordon, stationery, etc., \$13 70

H. W. Hatch, supplies, 7 40

Sentinel Printing Co., 118 70

G. H. Tilden Co., clerk's supplies, 3 60

C. D. Reece, dog tags, 3 65

E. C. Eastman Co., record books, 69 63

G. A. Gordon, tax commission, 5 00

A. C. Mosher, tax commission,	10 00
W. M. Davis, tax commission,	5 00
Mason Insurance Agency, officers' bonds,	26 00
Automotive Service Bureau,	3 14

\$265 82

Detail 3. Election and registration expenses:

Warren M. Davis, moderator,	\$12 00
James F. Perkins, supervisor,	15 00
Sidney O. Davis, supervisor,	15 00
George A. Corey, supervisor,	15 00

\$57 00

Detail 5. Expenses Jones Hall:

L. S. Watson Man'f'g. Co., lights,	\$18 00
H. C. Mosher, wood,	5 00
W. H. Perkins, supplies,	2 55
F. E. Wood, chimney,	459 00
A. C. Mosher, installing pipe in new chimney,	7 00
Pearson Bros., new pipe,	5 52
A. B. Palmer, insurance,	106 20
Nichols & Newton, broom,	60

\$603 87

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Detail 6. Police department, including care of tramps:

C. R. Andrews, police,	\$27 00
W. H. Perkins, feeding tramps,	45 20
H. C. Mosher, wood, tramp house,	4 00
Nichols & Newton, sawhorse,	65

\$76 85

Detail 7. Fire department including forest fires:

L. H. Davis, razing storehouse,	\$4 00
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A. C. Mosher, razing storehouse,	4 00
S. A. Davis, razing storehouse,	4 00
W. M. Davis, razing storehouse,	4 00
J. F. Perkins, forest fires,	332 18
Kenneth Andrews, forest fires,	2 90

\$351 08

Detail 9. Bounties:

G. A. Gordon,	\$16 40
A. C. Mosher,	42 60

\$59 00

Detail 11. Health department:

H. W. Hatch, salary,	\$10 00
Labor and expenses,	5 40

\$15 40

Detail 12. Vital statistics:

H. W. Hatch, recording,	\$2 25
Reporting,	75

\$3 00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Detail 14. State aid maintenance:

Joint fund	Bal. 1926	Appro. 1927	Total
State,	\$12 95	\$60 00	\$72 95
Town,	12 94	60 00	72 94

Total joint fund, \$145 89

Expended by H. C. Mosher, \$156 42

Paid by state to town, \$83 48

Detail 15. Trunk line maintenance:

Joint fund	Bal. 1926	Appro. 1927	Total
State contribution,	\$519 76	\$7,515 00	\$8,034 76
Town contribution,	115 50	1,670 00	1,785 50

\$9,820 26

Total joint fund,

Expended by F. G. Huntley, \$544 97

Expended by G. C. Lewis, 1,512 26

Expended by A. E. Meader, 39 04

Expended by D. R. Winham, 1,121 04

Expended by H. C. Mosher, 984 50

\$4,201 81

Expended by state,

3,233 17

Total expenditures,

\$7,434 98

Unexpended balance,

\$2,385 28

In town treasury, \$433 69

In state treasury, 1,951 59

Detail 16. Town maintenance:

Guy E. Elliott, agent, (see report), \$2,758 89

Selectmen, breaking roads in winter, (see report), 945 62

Selectmen, extra expenditures, (see report), 293 32

\$3,997 83

Detail 17. Street lighting:

L. S. Watson Manufacturing Co., \$330 00

Detail 19. Libraries:

C. B. Howard, trustee, \$30 00

Mabel D. Hatch, librarian, 60 00

\$90 00

Detail 20. Town poor:	
James F. Perkins, overseer, (see report),	\$156 00

Detail 21. County poor:	
James F. Perkins, overseer, (see report),	\$99 00

Detail 22. Memorial Day observance:	
Ellis Bros. & Co., flowers,	\$20 00

Detail 27. Cemeteries:	
L. D. Tinker, sexton, (see report),	\$35 50

UNCLASSIFIED

Detail 28. Damages and legal expenses:	
O. E. Cain, attorney, settlement in Min-	
nie Miller case,	\$1,500 00
O. E. Cain, counsel and expenses,	205 86
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	\$1,705 86

Detail 30. Old Home Day:	
Lillian M. Corey, treasurer,	\$27 72

INTEREST

Detail 33. Paid on temporary loans:	
Keene National Bank,	\$82 50
Cheshire County Savings Bank,	59 38
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	\$141 88

Detail 34. Paid on long term notes:	
Marian G. Perkins, interest to Feb. 15, 1928,	\$22 50
Francina C. Towne, interest to Aug. 1, 1227,	45 00
Francina C. Towne, interest to Jan. 15, 1928,	45 00
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	\$112 50

Detail 36. Interest paid on trust funds used by town:

G. F. Gee, school fund,	\$35 18	
G. F. Gee, legacy of Asa Way,	15 66	
	<hr/>	\$50 84

OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS

Detail 37. Highways and bridges:

State aid construction:

Joint fund	Bal. 1926	Appro. 1927	Total
State contribution.	\$25 38	\$511 00	\$536 38
Town contribution,	25 38	511 50	536 88
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Total joint fund,			\$1,073 26
Expended by W. M. Davis,		\$629 10	
Expended by state,		52 41	
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Total expenditures,			\$681 51
Unexpended balance,		\$391 75	
Paid by state to town,		\$198 51	

INDEBTEDNESS

Detail 45. Payments on temporary loans:

Keene National Bank,	\$3,500 00	
Cheshire County Savings Bank,	1,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,000 00

Detail 49. Payments to trustees of trust funds:

G. F. Gee, trustee Richardson fund,	\$100 00	
Pletznier-Daley fund,	100 00	
Ellen Joslin fund,	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$300 00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Detail 51. State treasurer, state tax,	\$776 65
Detail 52. County treasurer, county tax,	\$462 73
Detail 54. School moneys:	
F. C. Elliott, school treasury, balance of	
school money of 1926,	\$774 00
Dog licenses for 1926,	152 40
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	\$926 40
School money on account of 1927,	1,800 00
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	\$2,726 40
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Total payments for all purposes,	\$23,007 26
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1928,	215 78
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Grand total,	\$23,223 04

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. GORDON,

ARCHIE C. MOSHER,

WARREN M. DAVIS,

Selectmen of Marlow.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Town clerk, in account with Motor Vehicle Permits for
year ending Dec. 31, 1927.

Albert W. Phelps,	\$3 38
Albert W. Phelps,	1 09
I. L. Sawyer,	1 26
James H. Newton,	1 50
G. H. Grime Co.,	6 30
John J. Lees,	5 36
Edwin L. Britton,	3 15
Woodbury T. Langdon,	4 46
Harry D. Newton,	1 18
Nichols and Newton,	2 75
Walter I. Nichols,	1 58
Wm. G. Gilbert,	2 21
Elmer B. Smith,	2 65
Fred G. Huntley,	9 45
J. F. Perkins,	4 48
Chas. D. Bridgham,	1 31
L. S. Watson Mfg. Co.,	1 80
L. S. Watson Mfg. Co.,	11 25
D. W. Bridgham,	13 97
Elizabeth F. Bridgham,	9 38
Florence L. Howard,	4 74
John A. Howe,	1 98
Milan F. Miller,	1 60
Frank H. Allen,	1 50
Robert Carpenter,	2 48
Bertha L. Davis,	1 58
Mildred I. Pitcher,	5 73

Philip Rogers,	1 08
Alphonse Lequine,	2 66
C. R. Andrews,	1 98
C. R. Andrews,	8 55
Geo. A. Gordon,	1 82
Elgin L. Russell,	1 60
Archie C. Mosher,	2 96
Eugene H. Whitney,	2 58
Earl S. Champney,	5 94
Geo. C. Lewis,	10 40
Matthew Breed,	3 00
Paul Balla,	1 09
Harry C. Orr,	3 45
John T. Rowe,	16 74
Frank H. Mowry,	1 98
Stanley Y. Roberts,	1 18
Carl L. Elliott,	1 98
Harry D. Newton,	3 22
Ivan F. Huntley,	1 58
Bert C. Hodges,	2 51
John D. Perkins,	3 72
Fred G. Huntley,	3 75
Walter I. Nichols,	9 52
Alice J. Britton,	6 44
Elmer W. S. Davis,	1 08
Sidney O. Davis,	2 47
Fred G. Huntley,	1 88
Harry J. Waldron,	1 35
Geo. W. Webster,	1 98
C. R. Andrews,	1 08
Harold Wagar,	4 32
Archie A. Corey,	1 58
Philip R. Rogers,	2 66
Fred G. Huntley,	3 02
Francis H. Champney,	2 48

James H. Newton.	15 05
Roy D. Huntley,	2 64
Nichols & Newton,	3 11
Warren M. Davis,	2 64
William A. Cunningham,	90
Isaac L. Jantti,	1 49
Irene L. Huntley,	11 25
Edith A. Champney,	1 58
Freeman G. Newton,	1 98
Clarence Mosher,	1 60
Franz C. Hodges,	3 24
L. A. Saltzgiver,	1 08
Ed. L. Britton,	9 86
Luther A. Saltzgiver,	2 87
Isaac R. Langver,	1 35
George A. Gordon,	5 82
George A. Corey,	1 18
Frank E. Young,	1 08
Mabel A. Allen,	2 18
Fred A. Smith,	1 32
Frank H. Allen,	2 24
Fred Pollard,	4 20
Frank H. Allen,	00
Addie G. Tinker,	3 20
Harry C. Mosher,	1 82
Fred G. Huntley.	43
Irene A. Howarth,	1 59
Chas. F. Miller,	3 58
Roland Farr,	4 38
Louis C. Pollard,	1 08
Ralph M. Elliott,	1 32
Rex W. Greene,	2 48
Alphonse Lequine,	17 66
Bert Farr,	1 00
D. R. Bursil,	1 08

Isaac R. Langver,	00
Berton F. Strickland,	5 39
Alice J. Britton,	6 82
Fred A. Smith,	1 32
Fred M. Putnam,	4 48
Harold R. Wagar,	5 53
M. C. Wagar,	11 74
Henry D. Corey,	1 73
C. R. Andrews,	00
Louis C. Pollard,	1 18
Roland Farr,	4 55
Ray Murdough,	1 88
C. R. Andrews,	40
H. E. Wright,	40
Walter M. Jefts,	50
Ralph R. Winham,	1 13
E. Gertrude Robb,	7 29
Wm. L. Schmidt,	38
Albert W. Phelps,	53
Covena E. Bridge,	95
Frank H. Allen,	1 05
Covena,	1 13
Archie A. Corey,	00
E. Gertrude Robb,	1 73
Fred G. Huntley,	5 29
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Total,	\$415 43
Less clerk's fee for collecting,	31 50
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Paid into town treasury,	\$383 93

Respectfully submitted,

HORATIO W. HATCH,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Town clerk in account with dog licenses:

Number of dogs reported by selectmen,	69
Number of dogs removed or destroyed,	8

DEBIT

Licenses of 58 dogs at \$2.00,	\$116 00
Licenses of 8 females at \$5.00,	40 00
	\$156 00
Less clerk's fee for collecting,	13 20
	\$142 80

HORATIO W. HATCH,
Town Clerk.

State of New Hampshire,
Cheshire, ss.

Personally appeared Horatio W. Hatch, clerk of the Town of Marlow who made oath that the above statement by him signed is true.

Before me,
Marlow, N. H., Feb. 11. 1928.

WARREN M. DAVIS,
Justice of the Peace.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1927,	\$1,407 88
Treasurer Cheshire County Pauper account April,	74 00
Treasurer Cheshire County Pauper account October,	25 00
Adms. Est. Wm. H. Angleton, taxes of 1925,	83 92
Cemetery trust funds, Sylvia Richardson,	100 00
Cemetery trust funds, Pletzner-Daly,	100 00
Cemetery trust funds, Ellen A. Joslin,	100 00
Town clerk, on account motor vehicle permits,	383 93
Town clerk, on account dog licenses,	142 80
Keene National Bank, temporary loans,	3,500 00
Cheshire County Savings Bank, temporary loans,	1,500 00
John A. Ayer, collector on account taxes of 1920,	65 15
John A. Ayer, collector on account taxes of 1921,	59 16
A. W. Phelps, collector on account taxes of 1926,	942 90
A. W. Phelps, collector on account interest on taxes 1926,	34 57
A. W. Phelps, collector on account taxes of 1927,	10,507 56
A. W. Phelps, collector on account interest on taxes 1927,	7 80
State Treasurer on account forest fires,	166 49
State Treasurer on account Savings Bank tax,	166 66
State Treasurer on account snow removal on trunk line roads,	229 50
State Treasurer on account interest and dividend tax,	15 38
State Treasurer on account state aid for class five roads,	458 14
State Treasurer on account maintenance of state aid roads,	83 48
State Treasurer on account maintenance of trunk line roads,	2,850 00
State Treasurer on account construction of state aid roads,	198 51

State Treasurer on account refund tax on state owned lands,	20 41
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	\$23,223 04
Paid out on town orders,	23,007 26
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Balance in treasury Jan. 31, 1928,	\$215 78

Respectfully submitted,

HORATIO W. HATCH,
Treasurer.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

MARCH

Carl Elliott, 3 hours,	\$1 17
Frank Elliott, 10 hours,	3 89
Guy Elliott, man and team, 7 hours,	6 23
Guy Elliott, 18 hours,	8 00

Total for month,	\$19 29
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APRIL

Carl Elliott, 5 hours,	\$1 95
Guy Elliott, 60 hours,	26 75
Guy Elliott, man and team, 74 hours,	65 80
Frank Elliott, 34 hours,	13 23
Perley Winham, 61 hours,	23 70
Carl Elliott and team, 59 hours,	52 46
Paul Webster, 24 hours,	9 34
Lucian Tinker and team, 9 hours,	8 00
Fred Murdough, 18 hours,	7 00
Lewis Feuer, 4 hours,	1 56
Henry Dodge, lumber,	6 12
John Sargent, lumber,	63 00
Spencer Hardware, tools,	3 60
E. A. Miller, gravel,	1 65

Total for month,	\$284 19
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MAY

Carl Elliott and team, 154 hours,	\$136 90
Guy Elliott, man and team, 160 hours,	142 24
Guy Elliott, 165 hours,	73 45
Fred Murdough, 164 hours,	63 80
Perley Winham, 160 hours,	62 24

Lucian Tinker and team, 62 hours,	55 12
Lewis Feuer, 3 hours,	1 18
Milan Miller and team, 38 hours,	33 79
Carl Elliott, 5 hours,	1 95
John Britton, stone,	2 60
Lewis Feuer, gravel,	16 80
Northeast Metal Culvert Co.,	17 60
John Howe, gravel,	6 30
George Gee, gravel,	30
Ellen Downing, gravel,	60
Lillian Page, gravel,	1 50
John Sargent, lumber,	10 90
Nichols and Newton, freight,	1 57
William Russell, gravel,	6 60
C. B. Martin, dynamite,	2 20

Total for month,

\$637 64

JUNE

Ralph Elliott, 27 hours,	\$10 50
Fred Murdough, 189 hours,	73 50
Carl Elliott and team, 198 hours,	176 01
Guy Elliott, man and team, 207 hours,	184 00
Guy Elliott, 207 hours,	92 00
Perley Winham, 189 hours,	73 50
Charles Pollard, 18 hours,	7 00
G. Whitney, 9 hours,	3 50
Lucian Tinker and team, 27 hours,	24 00
Lillian Page, gravel,	7 50
George Downing, gravel,	1 20
William Russell, gravel,	15 60
George Gee, gravel,	1 95
John Howe, gravel,	1 50
Lewis Feuer, gravel,	2 40

Total for month,

\$674 16

JULY

Carl Elliott and team, 18 hours,	\$16 00
Guy Elliott, man and team, 32 hours,	28 45
Guy Elliott, 32 hours,	14 25
Perley Winham, 9 hours,	3 50
Fred Murdough, 18 hours,	7 00
Lucian Tinker and team, 18 hours,	16 00
Carl Elliott, 5 hours,	1 95
John Sargent, lumber,	3 60

Total for month,

\$90 71

AUGUST

Guy Elliott, 60 hours,	\$26 75
Carl Elliott, 15 hours,	5 84
Paul Webster, 63 hours,	24 51
Jay Allen, 4 hours,	1 56
Freeman Newton, 23 hours,	8 95
Carl Elliott and team, 35 hours,	31 12
Guy Elliott, man and team, 44 hours,	39 12
Frank Elliott, 35 hours,	13 62
Northeast Metal Culvert Co.,	42 34
Freeman Newton, gravel,	3 15
Lillian Page, gravel,	1 80
Waldo Perkins, spikes,	2 15

Total for month,

\$200 91

SEPTEMBER

Leon Davis, 24 hours,	\$9 34
Guy Elliott, 69 hours,	30 75
Guy Elliott, man and team, 32 hours,	37 35
Frank Elliott, 30 hours,	11 67
Paul Webster, 39 hours,	15 17
Carl Elliott and team, 27 hours,	24 00
Carl Elliott, 29 hours,	11 29

Freeman Newton, 21 hours,	8 17
Lucian Tinker and team, 9 hours,	8 00
Lewis Feuer, 4 hours,	1 56
Lillian Page, gravel,	1 80
North East Metal Culvert Co.,	21 35
Nichols and Newton, freight,	4 50
Lewis Feuer, gravel,	5 40
Carl Marshall, freight,	4 80

Total for month,	\$195 15
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OCTOBER

Fred Billings, 18 hours,	\$7 00
Carl Elliott and team, 43 hours,	38 23
Lucian Tinker and team, 40 hours,	35 56
Guy Elliott, 45 hours,	20 00
Guy Elliott, man and team, 45 hours,	40 00
Leon Davis, 36 hours,	14 00
Freeman Newton, gravel,	14 10
Boston and Maine Railroad, rails,	79 20

Total for month,	\$248 09
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NOVEMBER

Carl Elliott and team, 36 hours,	\$32 00
Perley Winham, 5 hours,	1 95
Guy Elliott, 113 hours,	50 25
Guy Elliott, man and team, 117 hours,	104 01
Lucian Tinker and team, 36 hours,	32 00
Fred Billings, 27 hours,	10 50
Rob Bolio, 27 hours,	10 50
George Phillips, 27 hours,	10 50
Chester Strickland, 94 hours,	36 50
John Champney, 9 hours,	3 50
Warren Davis, 27 hours,	10 50
Pearl Champney and team, 36 hours,	32 00

Leon Davis, 9 hours,	3 50	
William Hodges, 3 hours,	1 17	
Jay Allen, 27 hours,	10 50	
Freeman Newton, gravel,	11 95	
William Russell, gravel,	1 80	
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Total for month,		\$363 13

DECEMBER

Carl Elliott and team, 5 hours,	\$4 45	
Guy Elliott, 12 hours,	5 42	
Ralph Winham, 9 hours,	3 50	
Henry Mosher, 9 hours,	3 50	
Guy Elliott, man and team, 5 hours,	4 45	
John Sargent, lumber,	18 00	
Frank Bell, lighting lanterns,	4 50	
C. R. Andrews, blacksmithing,	6 80	
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Total for month,		\$45 62

Total expenditures,	\$2,758 89
Received from selectmen,	\$2,758 89

Respectfully submitted,

GUY E. ELLIOTT.

PAID FOR BREAKING ROADS

WINTER 1927-1928

Eugene Whitney,	\$67 60
J. C. Allen,	13 60
G. E. Elliott,	16 90
C. L. Elliott,	16 90
Frank Elliott,	4 00
James Saltzgiver,	23 20
S. H. Davis,	14 00

Henry Payne,	33 00
J. F. Cookson,	15 60
Franz Hodges,	24 80
Wm. Breed,	42 20
J. H. Newton,	24 60
M. A. Allen,	19 60
S. L. Gibbs,	5 40
I. R. Longver,	8 00
S. A. Saltzgiver,	81 20
H. W. Joyce,	36 40
W. C. Russell,	50 40
E. B. Rhoades,	3 00
E. Douglass,	3 11
F. G. Newton,	3 11
O. C. Huntley,	121 00
James Malony,	2 00

\$629 62

Paid for snow removal on trunk line roads:

C. C. Plimpton,	\$280 00
F. G. Huntley,	36 00

\$316 00

\$945 62

Extra expenditures by selectmen:

Painting bridges,	\$175 72
Plank for Morrison bridge,	60 50
Temporary bridge for Miller,	57 10

\$293 32

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JAN. 31. 1928

AID RENDERED COUNTY PAUPERS

APRIL TERM OF COURT

Paid E. A. Knights, board of E. J. Young,	\$65 00
Paid Dr. Stevens, attending E. J. Young,	9 00
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	\$74 00
Received from county,	74 00

OCTOBER TERM OF COURT

Paid E. A. Knights, board of E. J. Young,	\$25 00
Received from county,	25 00

TOWN CHARGES

Paid Cheshire County Commissioners, hospital bill	
Geo. Tyford,	\$136 00
J. F. Perkins, salary Overseer of Poor,	20 00
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	\$156 00
Received from town,	156 00

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. PERKINS,
Overseer of Poor.

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

Contagious and infections reported during year,	2
Water samples forwarded for analysis.	2
Times school visited,	6
Expenses and compensation of health officer,	\$5 40

The annual child health conference was held in October. One child was awarded the 100 per cent health mark. This is a definite service which the department of infant and child **welfare of the state board** of health is advancing to every town for the promotion of better health among the pre-school children.

This conference held each year so far under the direction of Mrs. Z. L. Hasham of the Division of Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene must prove of great help to mothers and children alike.

Arrangements are being made to hold a dental clinic for school children in town in the near future, when advice and treatment may be had from a competent dentist at a low cost.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. HATCH,
Health Officer.

REPORT OF SEXTON

DEATHS IN TOWN

George R. Jeffs.
 Laura B. Champney.
 Eva M. Bolio.
 Elmina Mosher.
 John J. Champney.
 Waldo H. Perkins.

BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL

Robert Holland.

LABOR ACCOUNT

Cutting grass in cemetery,	\$25 00
Received on town order,	\$25 00
	\$35 50
Selectmen paid mowing grass in west cemetery,	\$10 50

LEGACY OF JACOB FOSTER

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank, Keene, N. H.,
 on October 27, 1923. Withdrawn \$13.34 for care of Jacob
 Foster lot. Balance \$50.00.

LUCIAN D. TINKER,
 Sexton.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS AND INVESTMENTS

School fund invested in town note,	\$1,005 25
Legacy of Asa Way invested in town note,	447 50
Maria A. Giffin fund invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	500 00
J. M. Howard fund, invested in Keene Savings Bank,	200 00
Mary L. Bingham fund invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	300 00
Julia A. Buss fund invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	100 00
Washburn Booth fund invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	100 00
Shepardson fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	150 00
Mary E. Howe fund invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	125 00
Sarah A. Burnap fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	250 00
George E. Reed fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	300 00
Mary L. Downing fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	185 00
Stephen C. Joslin fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	100 00
Julius Platzner fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	100 00
Sylvia P. Richardson fund, invested in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	100 00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

School funds:

Received from town,	\$35 18
Paid to school district,	35 18

Legacy of Asa Way:

Received from town,	\$15 66
Paid to school district,	15 66

Maria A. Giffin fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$60 07
Income during year,	20 00

	\$80 07
Expended during year,	10 00

	\$70 07
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J. M. Howard fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$24 80
Income during year,	8 00

	\$32 80
Expended during year,	8 00

	\$24 80
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Mary A. Brigham fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$56 50
Income during year,	12 00

	\$68 50
Expended during year,	\$10 00

	\$58 50
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Julia A. Buss fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$12 50
Income during year,	4 00

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	\$16 50
Expended during year,	7 00
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	\$9 50

Washburn-Booth fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$11 70
Income during year,	4 00

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	\$15 70
Expended during year,	7 00
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	\$8 70

Shepardson fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$18 50
Income during year,	6 00

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	\$24 50
Expended during year,	9 00
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	\$15 50

Mary S. Howe fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$12 00
Income during year,	5 00

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	\$17 00
Expended during year,	8 00
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	\$9 00

Sarah A. Burnap fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$26 23
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Income during year,	10 00
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	\$36 23
Expended during year,	10 85
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	\$25 38

George E. Reed fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$40 00
Income during year,	12 00
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	\$52 00
Expended during year,	3 00
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	\$49 00

Mary L. Downing fund:

Balance on hand at beginning of year,	\$6 00
Income during year,	7 40
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	\$13 40
Expended during year,	3 00
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	\$10 40

Stephen C. Joslin fund:

Income not used.

Julius Platzner fund:

Income not used.

Sylvia P. Richardson fund:

Income not used.

Available for next year:	
Cash on hand,	\$4 15
Interest from Savings Banks,	280 85

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE F. GEE,
 GEORGE A. GORDON,
 WARREN M. DAVIS,
 Trustees of Trust Funds.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the selectmen, treasurer, trustees of trust funds, collectors of taxes, overseer of the poor, trustees of town library, sexton, road agent and town clerk and find them correctly cast and sufficiently vouched for.

SIDNEY O. DAVIS,
 Auditor.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

We respectfully submit the following report as to the finances of the library:

Money on hand at the beginning of the year,	\$25 48
Received from the town,	30 00
Received from librarian, fines, etc.,	4 07
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	\$59 55
Expended for books and express,	9 45
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Balance on hand,	\$50 10

The trustees have voted to purchase seventy more books which will soon be placed in the library.

CLARENCE B. HOWARD,
For the Trustees.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Uncollected taxes for 1919,		\$16 86
Uncollected taxes for 1920,	\$95 86	
Collected,	65 15	
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Uncollected,		\$30 71
Uncollected taxes 1921,	\$170 72	
Collected,	59 16	
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Uncollected,		\$111 56
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Total outstanding in my hands Jan. 31, 1928,		\$159 13

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. AYER,

Collector.

BALANCE OF 1926 TAXES

Uncollected polls,	\$10 00
Uncollected property tax,	938 40
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	\$948 40
Property tax abated,	5 50
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	\$942 90
Interest,	34 37
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	\$977 27
Collected taxes,	942 90

Interest,	34 37
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	\$977 27

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. PHELPS,

July 1st, 1927.

Collector.

1927 taxes submitted to me for collection as follows:

Amount of taxes,	\$11,370 63
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Divided as follows:

195 polls at \$2.00,	\$390 00	
7 polls abated,	14 00	
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\$376 00

180 polls collected at \$2.00,	\$360 00
8 polls uncollected,	16 00
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\$376 00

National bank tax,	\$38 00
National bank tax collected,	38 00
Property tax,	\$10,942 63
Abated,	8 64
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\$10,933 99

Interest,	7 80
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\$10,941 79

Property tax collected,	\$10,109 56
Interest collected,	7 80
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\$10,117 36

Uncollected property tax,	\$824 43	
8 uncollected polls at \$2.00,	16 00	
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Uncollected taxes,		\$840 43

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. PHELPS,

Jan. 31, 1928.

Collector.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

I herewith submit my third annual report as superintendent of your schools.

Marlow is now satisfactorily safeguarding the health of its children. The chemical toilets, voted at the school meeting of last year, are now installed and are proving a complete success. The danger of illness and contagion is lessened by means of this modern equipment. The Grammar school room has been thoroughly cleaned and painted. The lighter color of the finish makes the room a pleasanter one in which to work. The school nurse is again on duty this year. The cordiality with which she has been received by the parents of the children proves that her work is commended by those who are in a position to know most about the results of her work.

Frequent changes of teachers destroy the continuity and regular progress of any school. The fact that both teachers are now with us for the second year, is a source of gratification to all interested in the work of the children. Few, indeed, have been the difficulties arising this year.

With the exception of tardinesses, which have been too frequent the past year, your schools have made great progress in presenting a full quota of work to the pupils. Comparing the statistical reports of the past two years shows that little time has been lost. During the year 1925-1926 the school year consisted of 346 half days. This means practically one and one-half weeks lost. In 1926-1927 the full 360 half days paid for were utilized. This, of itself, means better results. The fact that the children really used these extra days, even more fully than before, is shown by the increase in attendance from 88.5% to 92.78. In view of the fact that your total enrollment increased from 69 to 81, this record speaks well for the children and

their parents.

Tardiness remains the only unsatisfactory element. The habit of being late is a dangerous one. When once established it practically destroys the chances of success for the boy or girl. Let us, for the protection of our own children, see that they are on time at school.

The fundamental subjects of education, Reading and Arithmetic are being emphasized. Other subjects are fine and are necessary to a certain extent but the boy or girl who can not effectively read the newspaper and magazine, who is not acquainted with the good books and their characters; the boy or girl who is not able to protect himself in the dealings of the business world, is not educated. Our purpose is to train thoroughly in these two subjects.

Once again I wish to express my appreciation of the co-operation and helpfulness of your efficient school board.

Respectfully submitted,

ROY W. GILLMORE,
Superintendent of Schools.

STATISTICAL REPORT
(1926-1927)

Number of teaching positions,	2
Number of boys; not registered elsewhere.	39
Number of girls; not registered elsewhere,	32
Number registered elsewhere, previous to attending at Marlow,	10
Total registration,	81
Length of school year in teaching weeks.	36
Half days schools were in session,	360
Half days actually lost (not made up),	0
Aggregate attendance,	20,409
Aggregate absence,	1,697
Percent of attendance,	92.78
Number not absent or tardy during the year,	2
Cases of tardiness,	205
Visits made by the superintendent of schools,	51
Visits made by citizens of Marlow,	79
Visits made by the school board members,	7

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

In submitting our report we again remind ourselves and interested citizens of the district that this reports only what took place before July 1, 1927. Therefore the important improvement, the installing of two chemical toilets, concerning which we are all interested, waits to be reported next year.

Some of our expenses, we doubt not, seem extravagant to you. This may be true of the school nurse. The absence of a resident physician, the distance to any, and the rush of business of those within our reach caused us to try the nurse, which has some marked advantages over the physician. And you will notice by examination of the financial report that the state made us a special appropriation which nearly met the additional cost.

Some of the painting and redecorating of walls which were planned and provided for this year are still incomplete.

The janitor service, which had been furnished, being unsatisfactory to all concerned, was replaced by capable hands and, like most improvements, cost more.

The upper grades rooms was unfortunate in its first teacher, who remained only a few weeks, when the services of Mrs. Maude F. Wheeler were secured and proved very satisfactory. We were pleased to be able to continue her work for the present year. Miss Lillian M. Field has been both agreeable and efficient in the lower grades room, and we were equally fortunate in retaining her for a second year.

Again we urge parents to visit the schools, see what is the aim of the work, and thus be able to co-operate with the teachers. Perhaps the parents might also aid in reducing the number of tardinesses.

The work of the superintendent is most important—linking our district interests with those of the state, suggesting to the school board needed improvements and up to date supplies, and giving to teachers helpful suggestions as to teaching and discipline.

Respectfully submitted,

SARA E. PHELPS,
LEON H. DAVIS,
IVAN F. HUNTLEY,

School Board of Marlow.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of the School Board for the Year Ending June 30, 1927

Cash on hand,	\$32 13
Received from town treasurer,	2,500 00
Received school fund interest,	35 18
Received Asa Way legacy,	15 66
Received dog licenses,	146 40
Received state aid,	1,981 66
Received from state on adjustment of health supervision,	54 50
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	\$4,765 53
Due the district from sale of No. 6 school house,	\$5 00
Stone Pond school house,	51 00

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES, 1926-1927

Salaries of district officers,	\$82 00
Superintendent's salary,	71 43
Truant officer and school census,	24 57
Expenses of administration,	12 52

Expenses of instruction:	
Teachers' salaries,	\$1,969 75

Text books,	88 29
Scholars' supplies,	81 18
Flags and appurtenances,	80
Other expenses of instruction,	23 96

\$2,163 98

Operation and maintenance of school plant:

Janitor service,	\$141 20
Fuel,	84 00
Water, light and janitor supplies,	17 12
Minor repairs and expenses,	132 80

Auxiliary agencies and school activities:

Medical inspection,	\$111 20
Transportation of pupils,	1,382 85
High school tuition,	233 84
Other special activities,	85

Fixed charges:

Insurance,	\$10 00
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Interest and other charges:

Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per capita),	\$126 00
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Total payment for all purposes,	\$4,594 36
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Balance on hand June 30, 1927,	171 17
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\$4,765 53

CURRENT EXPENDITURES (ITEMIZED)

1. Salaries of district officers:

Sara E. Phelps, chairman of school board,	\$30 00
Leon H. Davis, school board,	15 00
Ivan F. Huntley, secretary of school board,	20 00
Sara E. Phelps, clerk,	5 00

Flora C. Elliott, treasurer,	12 00
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	\$82 00
2. Superintendent's salary:	
Roy W. Gillmore,	\$71 43
3. Truant officer and school census:	
Martha Strickland,	\$20 00
Enumeration cards,	1 07
Conveying truant officer,	3 50
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	\$24 57
4. Expenses of administration:	
Warrants,	\$ 22
1,000 school district vouchers,	12 30
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	\$12 52
5. Teacher's salaries:	
Marjorie Pier,	\$232 75
Lillian M. Field,	900 00
Maude F. Wheeler,	837 00
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	\$1,969 75
6. Text books:	
MacMillan Co., readers,	\$3 71
Standard Book Co., Story of N. H.,	5 13
Allyn and Bacon, Every Day Science,	12 22
Houghton, Mifflin Co., arithmetics,	5 69
Scott, Foresman & Co., Elson books,	10 84
Ginn & Co., reading books,	9 11
Lyons & Carnahan, Health Habits,	9 41
American Book Co., higher grade arithmetic,	4 95
Rand, McNally & Co., West India Play Days,	1 38
The Cable Co., 50 song books,	4 17
Scott, Foresman & Co., Elson's primer, etc.,	8 11

Laidlaw Bros., books,	3 00
American Book Co., key to algebra,	82
Scott, Foresman & Co., 16 readers and postage.	9 75

\$88 29

7. Scholars' supplies:

A. W. Phelps, freight and cartage,	\$1 69
Milton Bradley Co., paper, pencils, ink, etc.,	34 46
Sara E. Phelps, express and cartage,	1 18
Milton Bradley Co., 37 pks. paper,	9 33
Rand, McNally & Co., desk maps,	4 16
Milton Bradley Co., pencils, wax crayons, etc.,	16 82
A. W. Phelps, freight and cartage,	85
Milton Bradley Co., arithmetic paper,	6 75
Milton Bradley Co., chalk, paper, etc.,	5 94

\$81 18

8. Flags and appurtenances:

Flag rope,	\$0 80
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Other expenses of instruction:

Milton Bradley Co., pencil sharpener,	\$5 53
Geo. D. Nourse, 2 magazines.	5 50
Charlestown School District, map of New Hampshire,	8 00
Milton Bradley Co., passmore board.	2 63
World Book Co., Stanford tests,	2 30

\$23 96

Janitor service:

Kenneth Andrews, 16 weeks,	\$15 60
Ralph Elliott, 16 weeks,	15 60
Melvin Huntley, 13 weeks,	65 00
Ivan Huntley, 9 weeks,	45 00

\$141 20

Fuel:

Leon H. Davis, hauling wood,	\$8 00
Fred P. Whittemore, 8 cords wood,	56 00
H. C. Mosher, sawing 8 cords wood,	10 00
H. C. Mosher, sawing 8 cords wood,	10 00
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	\$84 00

Water, light and janitor supplies:

Spencer Hardware Co., balance of dustbane over lock ,	\$0 75
J. L. Hammett Co., 5,000 drinking cups,	9 87
Harold Corey, putting in wood,	1 00
Ivan Huntley, labor and damper,	2 00
Ralph Elliott, putting in wood,	1 00
Henry Champney, putting in wood,	2 50
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	\$17 12

Minor repairs and expenses:

Ora Winham, cleaning, oiling floors, etc.,	\$28 50
Geo. Mansfield, cleaning toilets,	50
Ivan F. Huntley, labor and glass,	18 00
Ivan F. Huntley, 2 keys purchased,	80
J. L. Hammett Co., teachers' desk,	35 00
Paint and spreading,	50 00
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	\$132 80

Medical inspection:

Edith C. Foss, for physical examination,	\$91 00
C. R. Andrews, conveying children to dentist,	15 00
C. C. Strickland, conveying nurse,	2 00
Charlestown School District, 1-5 scales,	3 20
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	\$111 20

Transportation of pupils:

Edgar Murdough,	\$546 00
J. E. Dillant,	150 00

C. C. Strickland,	183 75
Irene Howarth,	138 00
Lewis W. Feuer,	327 60
Lula Chouinard,	37 50

\$1,382 85

High school tuition:

Nellie Howe, 1 year,	\$74 46
Walter Andrews, 1 year,	74 46
James Saltzgiver, 2 terms,	54 46
Mildred Dillant, 1 term,	30 46

\$233 84

Other special activities:

Diplomas,	\$0 85
Insurance,	10 00
Per capita tax, statewide supervision,	126 00

Equalized valuation of Marlow is \$371,157.00.

One-half of one per cent tax, \$1,855.78.

School board report of recommendation to selectmen of Marlow to raise and appropriate for the school district needs the sum of \$3,000.00.

Respectfully submitted,

SARA E. PHELPS,
LEON H. DAVIS,
IVAN F. HUNTLEY,
School Board of Marlow.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF MARLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT

July 1st, 1926, to July 1st, 1927

Cash on hand July 1st, 1926,	\$32 13
Received from town treasurer,	2,500 00
Dog licenses,	146 40
State aid,	1,981 66
School fund,	35 18
Legacy Asa Way,	15 66
From state, to adjust health supervision,	54 50
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	\$4,765 53
Paid out in orders,	4,594 36
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	\$171 17

Respectfully submitted,

FLORA C. ELLIOTT,

Treasurer.

This is to certify that I have examined the reports of the school board and treasurer and find them correct and properly vouched for.

SIDNEY O. DAVIS,

Auditor.

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1927

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.							
Mar. 2	Marion L.	F	L	3	Sidney O. Davis	Bertha Saltzgiver	Laborer	Marlow	Wilmington, Del.	27	26
July 9	Richard E.	M	L	1	Philip Rogers	Effie Knight	Laborer	Ledget., Ct.	Marlow	23	23
" 19	Margaret Arlene	F	L	3	Robert Carpenter	Josephine Murdough	Mill worker	Surry	Marlow	32	29
Aug. 6	"	M	L	2	George E. Whitney	Alice R. Willette	Laborer	Francestown	Dublin	27	26
Sept 26	Mary Ethel	F	L	8	Perley H. Champney	Edith A. Castor	Teamster	Marlow	Keene	33	32

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1927

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Apr. 7	Marlow	Frank H. Allen	Marlow	51	Mill sawyer	Northfield, Ms.	Harrison Allen	Mass.	2d	H. W. Hatch, JP
" 30	Keene	Annie H. Howes	Marlow	42	Housekeeper	New Salem, Ms.	Mary Converse	Warwick, Ms.	2d	Marlow
		Clarence H. Mosher	Marlow	22	Truck driver	Stoddard	M. Hodstatt	New Salem, Ms.	2d	
Sept 21	Marlow	Edna M. Strickland	Marlow	28	Clerk	Washington	Elizabeth Ames	Mass.	1st	Rv. C. W. Frye
		Walter C. Watson	Leicester, Ms	57	Manufacturer	Leicester, Ms.	Henry C. Mosher	Nova Scotia	1st	
Oct. 13	Marlow	Mabel A. Allen	Marlow	45	Public Stenog	Medford, Ms.	Lizzie M. Winb'm	Marlow	1st	Keene
		Clarence W. Bowden	Lincoln	27	Salesman	York Beach, Me	C. C. Strickland	Washington	1st	
		Zilpha Dougherty	Walth'm, Ms	20	Teacher	Waltham, Ms.	Edwin L. Morgan	Providence R.I.	2d	H. W. Hatch, JP
							Francis J. Watson	Spencer, Ms.	2d	
							L. M. Cogswell	Leicester, Ms.	1st	Marlow
							Alfred M. Allen	Nantucket, Ms.	1st	
							Sarah R Springer	Bell Vernon, Pa.	1st	H. W. Hatch, JP
							S. N. Rorden	York Beach, Me	1st	
							Cora B. Hanson	Rochester	1st	
							H. N. Dougherty	Waltham, Ms.	1st	Marlow
							W. E. Fadden	Rock Isla'd, Que		

*What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1927

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.			Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 10	George J. Gould	77	10	10						
May 1	Wm. H. Badger	71	1		Cornish	M	Hartford, Vt.	Cornish	George Badger	Clarissa Bacon
June 27	George R. Jeffs	85	1	25	Stoddard	M	Canada	Sullivan	Gilbert Jeffs	Eliza Eaton
July 14	Laura B. Champney	85	11	17	Bristol	F		Manchester	Eugene Willette	Mary E. Corneau
Oct. 14	Eva M. Bollo	56			New York	M	Walpole	Marlow	— Wheeler	
Dec. 12	Elmina F. Mosher	32	3	14	Marlow	F			Warren M. Davis	Emma Towne

*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HORATIO W. HATCH,

Town Clerk.

